

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 215

January Session, 2015



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by: SEN. FORMICA, 20th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW STATE PARKS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Department of
- 2 Energy and Environmental Protection to hold a public hearing in the
- 3 town where any new state park is proposed and to notify local officials
- 4 of the intent to establish a new state park in such town. Additionally,
- 5 any plan to establish such a state park shall be detailed and indicate
- 6 funding sources for such project.

Statement of Purpose:

To require certain notice, a public hearing and transparency when establishing a new state park.

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